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THAT'S  
A WOOF!!





# 砂の薔薇

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File 11: M the Beginning (1)





STATION 6  
IS LOSING  
ITS SPACE...



I'VE GIVEN  
THEM A SECRETIVE  
THEY SHOULD MAKE  
IT TO HOSPITAL.

HOW ARE  
ESKEY AND  
LINDY?



THE MISSION  
WAS A SUCCESS,  
BUT AT A GREAT  
COST.

LINDY'S  
LIFE... WILL  
NEVER  
WORK  
AGAIN.

EVEN IF WE  
DON'T LOSE  
ANYONE, WE  
HAVE ALREADY  
SUFFERED...



IT ISN'T  
YOUR FAULT,  
COMMANDER.







GO LET'S  
GO TO  
THE  
MEETING  
ROOM.

WE NEED  
TO GET  
REORGAN-  
IZED.

NOW,  
NOW...  
THAT'S  
ENOUGH  
TALK...

I HEARD  
IT WAS A  
FARSA.

SHE SAID  
SHE'S GOING  
BACK TO THE  
COUNTRY TO  
RUN A GEN-  
ERAL STORE...

I WONDER...  
WHAT THE  
COMMANDER  
WILL DO  
NOW.



?







PLEASE  
UNDER-  
STAND,  
MADE.

THERE'S NO  
WAY TO STOP  
SOMEONE WHO  
WANTS TO  
LEAVE.

CAT IS  
NOT AN  
OFFICIAL  
MILITARY  
ORGANIZA-  
TION, SO...

THIS  
AFTER-  
NOON...

OUT OF  
THEIR  
AGENTS



YOU CAN  
REQUEST PER-  
SONNEL FROM  
OTHER DIVI-  
SIONS...AND WE  
HAVE A NUMBER  
OF RESERVISTS.

DON'T  
WORRY ABOUT  
IT, THIS KIND  
OF THING  
OFTEN HAP-  
PENS.



WITH  
SIGHT  
AGENTS DIS-  
COURAGED.

THERE  
ISN'T REALLY  
A DIVISION  
ANY MORE.



ENEMY'S LIFE  
WAS SPARED,  
BUT SHE'S  
FACING A  
LONG RECU-  
PERATION.

LINDA WILL  
PROBABLY  
NEVER RETURN  
TO WORKING IN  
THE FIELD.



COL-  
NEL...



WENT  
ARE RE-  
COVERING DIS-  
CHARGE ?



IT'S NOT  
LIKE THE ARMY  
WHERE YOU  
HAVE TO SERVE  
A FLEET TERM...



CAT IS LIKE ANY  
OTHER PRIVATE  
CORPORATION...



THE GIRLS ARE PRETTY MUCH LIKE GIRLS WORKING AT MY COMPANY...



QUITTING FULFILLING A MISSION IS UNACCEPTABLE, BUT IT IS QUITE POSSIBLE TO SUBMIT A RESIGNATION AT THE END OF A MISSION...

A COMMANDER'S POPULARITY AND RELIABILITY ARE PARAMOUNT.



THE PAY IS EXCEPTIONAL, BUT THE WORK IS EXTREMELY DANGEROUS AND EXTRAORDINARILY DIFFICULT...



IT SEEMS... I DON'T RECEIVE THEIR TESTS...







THE  
COMMANDER  
IS AN EX-  
MARINE...  
AND THEY SAY  
SHE'S TOUGH.

I'VE HEARD  
THAT HE  
PROBLEMS WITH  
EIGHTY PERCENT  
OF THE AGENTS...



SUPPOSEDLY...  
SOME OF THEM  
ARE COMING  
TO US...

PEOPLE  
WHO  
MURDER  
FOR FUN...

EX-CONS...  
MOUNTAINS  
OF DEATH...

RIGHT...



I WAS  
WITH HER  
IN THE  
YARD.

MELBA IS  
TRANSFER-  
RING FROM  
J TO BE OUR  
SECOND.

MR. LET ME  
INTRODUCE YOU TO  
COLLEEN AND JESSICA.  
THEY ARE STAYING ON  
AND THEY ARE BOTH  
REALLY STRONG.

NICE  
TO  
MEET  
YOU.

NICE  
TO  
MEET  
YOU.

COMMAND-  
ER! THE  
AGENTS  
ARE HERE.

LIEU-  
TENANT...  
NO...



LET'S GET  
TO WORK.

NOW...

# BRIEFING ROOM

THE TWO REMAINING  
FROM S.

THESE FOUR  
HAVE JUST  
COMPLETED  
THEIR TRAINING  
AT THE YARD.

TWO ARE  
MISSING.

?

ONE EACH  
FROM K  
AND G.

WHERE  
ARE THE  
OTHER  
TWO?

Y-  
YES...

HEY, YOU  
YOU'RE  
FROM Q,  
RIGHT?







DON'T  
BE SALLY.

WHO  
WOULD  
HIT YOU?

HAS  
SHE  
JOBT  
IT?



SHE CALLED ME  
A MEATHEAD...SHE  
SAID MY JOB WAS  
TO BE THE EVERY-  
ONE'S PUNCHING  
BAG...

THE COM-  
MANDER OF  
MY PREVIOUS  
DIVISION...  
HIT ME...  
ALL THE  
TIME.



EVERYONE  
HERE IS ON  
YOUR SIDE.

DON'T  
WORRY.



IRISHE...  
IS PROBABLY  
WITH  
HER BOY-  
FRIEND...

PELA...  
IS PROBABLY  
AT A DATE...



MAINE THAT'S  
WHY THEY DIS-  
BANDED G?

TECHNICAL!!

WHERE  
WAS THE  
AUDIT  
DEPART-  
MENT?



...REALLY?

CAN I  
TRUST  
YOU?



OF  
COURSE...I  
WON'T SAY  
ANYTHING.

Don't be  
silly they  
won't do that.

P- PLEASE  
DON'T TELL THEM  
I TOLD YOU, MS.  
COMMANDER!!

IF THEY FIND  
OUT...THEY'LL  
KILL US.



IN MY DIVISION  
W...WE ARE LIKE  
FAMILY...NO ONE'S  
GOING TO HURT  
YOU...DON'T!

THIS IS  
NOT Q.

I'M ALWAYS ON  
THE SIDE OF  
MY GIRLS...

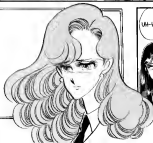
SURE. NO  
PROB-  
LEM.



THANK YOU SO  
MUCH...MS.  
COMMANDER...

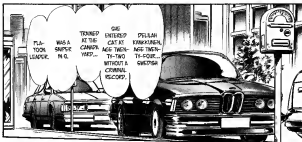
...Y-  
YES'N...

I'm so glad  
I got a nice  
Commander.



UM-HUH

WELL...I GUESS  
FOR NOW WE'LL  
HAVE TO DO THE  
EXPLANATIONS  
WITHOUT THE  
PROBLEM  
CHILDREN.



PLA-  
TOON  
LEAPFROG.

WAS A  
SAFARI  
IN G.

TURNED  
AT THE  
CANYON  
YARD...

SHE  
ENTERED  
CART AT  
AGE TWEN-  
TY-TWO  
WITHOUT A  
CRIMINAL  
RECORD.

PFLAH  
KRAKKUNGHA,  
AGE TWEN-  
TY-FOUR...  
SWEDISH



WENT A  
WAY TO  
PASS  
TIME.

SHE READS  
STENDHAL  
WILL BE DRINK-  
ING STRAIGHT  
VODKA...



WHO  
ARE  
YOU?

YOU  
MIGHT  
TRY MA-  
PASSION.



PARK, A  
LONELY, NO  
HORRORS,  
PERSONAL  
RELATIONSHIP...  
NONE.

AS FOR  
PERSON-  
ALITY

SHE  
LOVES...  
ALCOHOL.



THIS IS MY  
SECOND  
LIEUTENANT  
MELANA MIT-  
TELNIQUE.

WACE  
ROSE-  
BANK.

WHERE  
YOU'VE  
BEEN  
TRANS-  
FERRED.

THE  
COM-  
MANDER  
OF DIS-  
SONAL.



AND  
PEAKING  
STRONG  
POSSIBLE.  
THAT'S NOT  
FOR YOUR  
HEALTH.

TO BE  
IN THE  
PINK  
BATHROOM  
FROM  
NOON ON-  
WARDS...

TAKES CARE  
ON YOUR  
WAY HOME.

WHAT I DO  
UNTIL THEN IS  
UP TO ME.

I STILL HAVE  
TWO DAYS OF  
LEAVE LEFT. MY  
ORDERS FROM  
HEADQUARTERS  
SAID MY NEW  
DUTY'S START  
DAY AFTER  
TOMORROW.



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.....  
.....



I'M  
HEALTHY.

IT'S MY JOB  
TO BE CONCERNED  
ABOUT THE FITNESS  
OF MY AGENTS.



MEASURE-  
MENTS  
95-40-  
92 (CM)  
EXACTLY  
THE SAME  
AS WHEN I  
SACKED UP.

HEIGHT,  
178 CM.  
WEIGHT,  
56 KG.





SO...I WANT TO  
KNOW ALL MY  
TEAM MEMBERS  
AS WELL AS I  
CAN.

OUR WORK IS  
DANGEROUS.  
INJURIES ARE  
PAR FOR THE  
COURSE...AND  
DEATH IS NOT  
OUT OF THE  
QUESTION.

I DON'T  
WANT TO  
WATERWASH  
THIS.



WHOSE WOULD  
NEVER BE SUCH  
A COMRADE.



I DON'T HAVE  
ANY DOUBT...  
I WILL BRING  
YOU AND  
HELGA SOME  
TERRIBLE  
THINGS.  
BUT...  
PLEASE...  
GIVE ME  
YOUR SUP-  
PORT...

I HAVE  
TO LIVE...SO  
I CAN BRING  
EVERYONE  
ELSE BACK  
WITH ME...  
THAT'S  
MY JOB.



TO PUT  
SOMEBODY UP  
AS A SHIELD SO  
THE BULLETS  
DON'T HIT  
YOU...IS  
THAT IT?



SO YOU  
CAN SAVE  
YOUR  
OWN ASS.



TRUST...



WELL...I'LL  
LISTEN TO  
WHAT YOU SAY.  
I SUPPOSE  
THERE MUST  
BE SOME-  
THING IN IT  
FOR ME.

SERIOUSLY?

I KNOW ABOUT  
THE TERRIBLE  
TIMES...BUT DO  
YOU HONESTLY  
THINK A GUY  
THAT WOULD GIVE  
HER SUPPORT TO  
ANYONE EXISTS  
IN THIS WORLD?



...GUESS

I CAN'T  
BELIEVE  
THAT GIRL...



WELL...?

SHE'LL  
COME AROUND  
FOR SURE...

DON'T  
WORRY











YOU'RE  
PUSHING  
YOUR LUCK,  
BABY...!!

WARE!!



W-H-E-L...



IS A  
COM-  
MANDER I'LL  
TRUST  
WITH MY  
LIFE.

A COM-  
MANDER WHO  
WILL PLACE  
HER MOUTH  
THERE!

WELL?

CAN YOU  
POSS?



MY MOST  
SACRED  
PLACE.

IT'S MY  
VERY  
SELF.

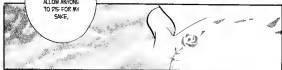






UNTIL  
THEN...THERE  
IS NO WAY I  
CAN DO...

AND...I CAN'T  
ALLOW ANYONE  
TO DIE FOR MY  
SAKE,



ATTEN-  
TION!!





AT  
EAGER



THIS IS  
OUR FIRST  
JOB AS DI-  
VISION A.

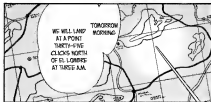


WE WILL BE  
OPERATING  
IN EL  
LOMBE.



NOT JUST THE  
GOVERNMENT, BUT  
EVEN THE POLICE AND  
ARMY DO NOT HAVE  
THE RESOURCES TO  
COMBAT IT.

MANALI IN SOUTH  
AFRICA IS A HOTBED  
OF COMMUNIST GUER-  
ILLA TERRORISTS. THE  
CAPITAL EL LOMBE IS  
ALREADY A LAWLESS  
AREA.











WHAT?!

THE PREVIOUS  
COMMANDER  
GAVE IT TO  
HER.

WITHOUT  
THIS, SHE'D  
PROBABLY  
GET KILLED  
BY ONE OF HER  
OWN TEAM'S  
BULLETS.

ELEANOR IS  
SLOW AND  
PULL-BITTEN  
AT WHATEVER  
SHE DOES.



SHE'S  
RESPONSIBLE  
FOR SENDING NO  
LESS THAN THREE  
AGENTS TO THE  
NEXT WORLD.

THAT'S  
TERRIBLE!!  
ELEANOR!  
TAKE THAT  
OFF AND  
HAND IT  
TO ME.

IT LOWERED  
THE STRESS  
OF THE  
TEAM.

IF SHE  
WAS IN THE  
WAY, SHE  
COULD BE  
DISPOSED  
OF AT ANY  
TIME.



AND...BECAUSE  
OF HER WE ALL  
HAVE TO PUT UP  
WITH A HIGHER  
LEVEL OF DANGER.

RIGHT?

EVEN THOUGH  
SHE HATES IT,  
THAT'S THE  
REASON SHE  
NEVER REQUESTS  
DISCHARGE OR  
REASSIGNMENT.

SHE NEEDS  
THE PAY OF  
AN ACTING  
PUTY  
AGENT.



STOP  
THAT!!

YOU CAN  
PULL ON IT  
LIKE A  
DOG'S  
LEASH.

IT'S ALSO  
CONVENIENT  
FOR GET-  
TING HER  
TO STAY  
STILL.

SO...THE  
PREVIOUS  
COMMANDER  
PROVIDED US  
WITH THIS WAY  
TO GET RID  
OF HER IF  
NEED BE.

SHE  
QUALIFIED  
UNDER THE  
WIRE, AND  
NOW IT'S  
IMPOSSIBLE  
TO ROTATE  
HER SOME-  
WHERE ELSE.

THIS IS MY  
DIVISION A,  
AND WE'LL  
DO THINGS  
MY WAY.

THIS IS  
NOT A.

YOU'LL  
REGRET IT,  
COMMAND-  
ER...

THIS IS  
REPU-  
BLICAN  
HOW  
CAN YOU  
TREAT A  
PERSON  
LIKE THAT?

ELEANOR...YOUR  
ABSOLUTE BEST  
EFFORT IS ALL WE  
NEED FROM YOU.



WE'LL FLY FROM THIS POINT TOWARDS FLORIDA.

SO...

WE CAN'T TRUST THE POLICE OR THE MILITARY,  
SO WE CAN'T LEAVE THE COUNTRY THROUGH LOWKEY AIRPORTS.



I SEE.

A C-130  
CAN LAND  
ON IT.

I SAY AN AIRSTRIP,  
BUT IT ALSO SERVES  
AS A ROAD. IT'S NOT  
THAT LONG, BUT IT IS  
TWENTY-FIVE HUNDRED  
METERS LONG.



IT'S AN  
AGRICULTURAL  
AIRSTRIP ORIGINALLY USED BY  
THE VESPER  
PLANTATION.

WE WILL PROVIDE  
ESCORT TO A  
LOCATION TWENTY  
CLICKS AWAY  
FROM EL LOWAY.

A LARGE  
AIRFIELD  
ON AN AGRICULTURAL  
AIRSTRIP...



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WE  
HASN'T  
SEEN  
ANYTHING  
UNUSUAL  
HERE  
YET.  
THE  
TRANSPORT  
PLANE  
SHOULD  
BE LEAVING  
IN FIVE  
MINUTES.

LIEUTENANT  
IT'S HERE.

OK //

IT'S A  
LITTLE  
EARLY,  
BUT  
ALMOST  
EXACTLY  
ON TIME.



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